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01446722

Denormalization circuit  
Denormalisationsschaltung  
Circuit de denormalisation  
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PATENT (CC, No, Kind, Date): EP 1237070 A2 020904 (Basic)

APPLICATION (CC, No, Date): EP 2002012689 980313;

PRIORITY (CC, No, Date): GB 9705364 970314

DESIGNATED STATES: DE; FR; GB; SE

RELATED PARENT NUMBER(S) - PN (AN):

EP 864968 (EP 98301929)

INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-007/50 ; G06F-007/48

ABSTRACT EP 1237070 A2

A data processing circuit is disclosed which is configured to minimise the number of operations required by processing logic so as to reduce overall battery consumption. Arithmetic logic units (605, 606) are configurable to perform operations including the generation of exponent values. A separate comparing unit (618) is configurable to compare exponent values and to store one of said pair of exponent values dependent upon the result of said comparison. This comparison value then remains available for subsequent operations performed by associate circuitry, including arithmetic logic units (605, 606) and a normalisation circuit (619). A normalisation circuit determines the extent to which associate mantissa require shifting operations to be performed in order to normalise a block of floating point values.

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NOTE:

Figure number on first page: 6

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CLAIMS A	(English)	200236	698
SPEC A	(English)	200236	4836
Total word count - document A			5534
Total word count - document B			0
Total word count - documents A + B			5534

INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-007/50 ...

... G06F-007/48

...SPECIFICATION order input word multiplexer 1152 is further capable receiving as an alternate input the output exponent from the normalising unit 619, represented as a bus 635 . The output of the additional multiplexer 1154 is supplied as an input to a compare and select register 1157, its contents typically represent the highest of a sequence of compared...

8/5,K/2 (Item 2 from file: 348)  
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01203266

Methods and apparatus for storage and retrieval of name space information  
in a distributed computing system  
Verfahren und Vorrichtung zum Speichern und Wiederauffinden von  
Informationen über den Namenraum in einem verteilten Rechnersystem  
Methodes et dispositif pour le stockage et le recouvrement d'informations  
concernant l'espace des noms dans un système informatique distribue

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PATENT (CC, No, Kind, Date): EP 1046990 A2 001025 (Basic)

EP 1046990 A3 001102

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APPLICATION (CC, No, Date): EP 2000117414 960410;

PRIORITY (CC, No, Date): US 424137 950417

DESIGNATED STATES: DE; FR; GB

RELATED PARENT NUMBER(S) - PN (AN):

EP 738970 (EP 96302502)

INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-009/46 ; G06F-017/30

CITED PATENTS (EP B): EP 466486 A

CITED REFERENCES (EP B):

RADIA S: "Naming policies in the Spring system" PROCEEDINGS. FIRST  
INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON SERVICES IN DISTRIBUTED AND NETWORKED  
ENVIRONMENTS (CAT. NO.94TH0627-0), PROCEEDINGS OF IEEE WORKSHOP ON  
SERVICES FOR DISTRIBUTED AND NETWORKED ENVIRONMENTS, PRAGUE, CZECH  
REPUBLIC, 27-28 JUNE 1994, pages 164-171, XP000577565 ISBN  
0-8186-5835-5, 1994, LOS ALAMITOS, CA, USA, IEEE COMPUT. SOC. PRESS,  
USA

OUSTERHOUT J K ET AL: "THE SPRITE NETWORK OPERATING SYSTEM" COMPUTER,  
vol. 21, no. 2, 1 February 1988 (1988-02-01), pages 23-36, XP000111082

WELCH B: "A comparison of three distributed file system architectures:  
vnode, Sprite, and Plan 9" COMPUTING SYSTEMS, SPRING 1994, USA, vol. 7,  
no. 2, pages 175-199, XP000577569 ISSN 0895-6340

Inside Microsoft Windows NT, David A. Solomon, Microsoft Press, 2. Ed.,  
publ. 1998, p. 409-413;

ABSTRACT EP 1046990 A3

A distributed computing environment is disclosed which allows a user at  
one location to access resources at other locations. Each resource in the  
distributed computing environment is represented as a hierarchical file  
system. A user or process has a name space comprised of at least one  
hierarchical file system provided by a connected resource. The  
distributed computing environment allows a first processor to invoke  
execution of a processing task by a remote processor. The first processor  
transmits a representation of its current name space to the remote  
processor. The remote processor will execute the processing task on a  
name space modified in accordance with the name space representation  
received from the first processor. The transmitted representation of the  
name space associated with the first processor includes at least one  
dynamic name space modification command, such as those executed by a user  
after logging into the distributed computing system. A plurality of data  
structures are provided for storing path information which allows the  
pathname of a given channel, which represents a file, to be determined.  
The stored path information allows the hierarchical file tree of a  
connected file system to be generated.

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NOTE:

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 Change: 010117 A2 Inventor information changed: 20001128  
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CLAIMS A	(English)	200043	549
CLAIMS B	(English)	200302	555
CLAIMS B	(German)	200302	468
CLAIMS B	(French)	200302	620
SPEC A	(English)	200043	21025
SPEC B	(English)	200302	20585
Total word count - document A			21577
Total word count - document B			22228
Total word count - documents A + B			43805

INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-009/46 ...

... G06F-017/30

...SPECIFICATION is preferably incremented during step 1340 to the channel corresponding to the next element in the linked list 880 which forms the union directory. In **addition**, the value of the pointer **635** in the channel which the union directory has been mounted upon is preferably updated during step 1342 to indicate the current directory in the union ...

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01081178

**Methods and apparatus for linking a program for remote execution**

**Verfahren und Gerat zur Verknupfung eines Programmes zur Fernausfuhrung**

**Methodes et appareil pour lier un logiciel pour execution a distance**

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PATENT (CC, No, Kind, Date): EP 950950 A2 991020 (Basic)

APPLICATION (CC, No, Date): EP 99400685 990319;

PRIORITY (CC, No, Date): US 44904 980320

DESIGNATED STATES: AT; BE; CH; CY; DE; DK; ES; FI; FR; GB; GR; IE; IT; LI; LU; MC; NL; PT; SE

EXTENDED DESIGNATED STATES: AL; LT; LV; MK; RO; SI

INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-009/445

ABSTRACT EP 950950 A2

A linkage editor executing at a server receives instructions for packaging software components that are required for program execution at a client. The linkage editor generates an output file by iteratively analyzing the program for references to other software components and extracting those components from their parent classes. The linkage editor sends the completed output file to an interface task, which transmits it to the client.

ABSTRACT WORD COUNT: 67

NOTE:

Figure number on first page: 6

LEGAL STATUS (Type, Pub Date, Kind, Text):

Assignee: 020508 A2 Transfer of rights to new applicant: Sun Microsystems, Inc. (2616582) 901 San Antonio Road, M/S UPAL 01-521 Palo Alto, California 94303 US

Application: 991020 A2 Published application without search report

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Assignee: 030528 A2 Transfer of rights to new applicant: Sun Microsystems, Inc. (2616592) 4150 Network Circle Santa Clara, California 95054 US

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Total word count - documents A + B			5323

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...SPECIFICATION file, along with the ancillary information associated with their classes (steps 625-630). Linkage editor 487 will discover that component C1 references component C1A (step 635), and will add it to the component list (step 645). The process repeats one more time, during which component C1A is extracted from its respective class (along with...

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01037283

DATA TRANSFER TO A NON-VOLATILE STORAGE MEDIUM

DATENUBERTRAGUNG AUF EINEM NICHTFLUCHTIGEN SPEICHERMEDIUM

TRANSFERT DE DONNEES VERS UNE MEMOIRE REMANENTE

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PATENT (CC, No, Kind, Date): EP 1015976 A1 000705 (Basic)

EP 1015976 B1 020306

WO 9914673 990325

APPLICATION (CC, No, Date): EP 98948205 980916; WO 98US19128 980916

PRIORITY (CC, No, Date): US 931330 970916

DESIGNATED STATES: DE; GB

INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-011/14

CITED PATENTS (EP B): EP 636978 A; EP 658843 A

CITED PATENTS (WO A): XP 534434 ; XP 587466

CITED REFERENCES (EP B):

"Hibernating and Resuming a Compressed Memory Image" IBM TECHNICAL DISCLOSURE BULLETIN., vol. 38, no. 8, August 1995, page 73 XP000534434

NEW YORK US

"Automatic Data Compression Control for Hibernation" IBM TECHNICAL  
DISCLOSURE BULLETIN., vol. 39, no. 4, April 1996, pages 185-186,  
XP000587466 NEW YORK US;

CITED REFERENCES (WO A):

"Hibernating and Resuming a Compressed Memory Image" IBM TECHNICAL  
DISCLOSURE BULLETIN., vol. 38, no. 8, August 1995, page 73 XP000534434  
NEW YORK US

"Automatic Data Compression Control for Hibernation" IBM TECHNICAL  
DISCLOSURE BULLETIN., vol. 39, no. 4, April 1996, pages 185-186,  
XP000587466 NEW YORK US;

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Application: 990602 A1 International application (Art. 158(1))  
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report: 20000912  
Examination: 000705 A1 Date of request for examination: 20000331  
Grant: 020306 B1 Granted patent

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CLAIMS B	(English)	200210	1298
CLAIMS B	(German)	200210	1257
CLAIMS B	(French)	200210	1586
SPEC B	(English)	200210	8169
Total word count - document A			0
Total word count - document B			12310
Total word count - documents A + B			12310

INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-011/14

...SPECIFICATION transfer size must be performed by pmDiskWrite, so Sectors  
is set equal 630 to Size/SectorSize before a write to disk is performed  
by pmDiskWrite 635 . Then 640, (Sectors\*SectorSize) is **subtracted** from  
Size so that Size represents the quantity of data which remains in the  
buffer 120 to be written to disk, and Location is incremented...

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00977316

**Method and apparatus to expand an on-chip fifo into local memory**

**Verfahren und Vorrichtung zum Erweitern eines on-chip Fifos in einem  
lokalen Speicher**

**Procede et dispositif d'extension d'un fifo sur-puce dans une memoire  
locale**

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PATENT (CC, No, Kind, Date): EP 886454 A2 981223 (Basic)  
EP 886454 A3 000920

APPLICATION (CC, No, Date): EP 98304594 980610;

PRIORITY (CC, No, Date): US 879359 970620

DESIGNATED STATES: DE; FR; GB

EXTENDED DESIGNATED STATES: AL; LT; LV; MK; RO; SI

INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: H04Q-011/04; G06F-005/06 ; H04L-012/56

ABSTRACT EP 886454 A2

A relatively small FIFO queue is located on a semiconductor chip receiving and transmitting data in a computer system, typically a computer network. The FIFO queue has additional storage capability in the form of an expansion into the local memory of the computer system. The front and back ends of the FIFO, which are involved in receiving and transmitting data, are implemented on the chip. The FIFO expands into the space provided in the local memory only when the on-chip portion of the FIFO is full. The middle portion of the FIFO resides in expansion in the local memory. The local memory is accessed only in bursts of multiple credits, both for read transactions and for write transactions.

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NOTE:

Figure number on first page: 7

LEGAL STATUS (Type, Pub Date, Kind, Text):

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Application: 981223 A2 Published application (A1with Search Report  
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SPEC A	(English)	9852	5304
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...SPECIFICATION are more than 16K credits in the local memory FIFO expansion 720, the delayed FIFO 600 gets full priority over the activate FIFO 610.

In **addition**, the programmable bit **635** in the Command and Status Register 630 (CSR) which, when set, will force the arbiter 620 to return credits from the delayed FIFO 600 only...

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00966551

**Data processing circuit**

**Datenverarbeitungsschaltung**

**Circuit a traitement de donnees**

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PATENT (CC, No, Kind, Date): EP 877315 A2 981111 (Basic)

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APPLICATION (CC, No, Date): EP 98301931 980313;

PRIORITY (CC, No, Date): GB 9705295 970314

DESIGNATED STATES: DE; FR; GB; SE  
EXTENDED DESIGNATED STATES: AL; LT; LV; MK; RO; SI  
INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-009/302

ABSTRACT EP 877315 A2

A data processing circuit includes a first set of processing elements and a second set of processing elements. A clock provides common clocking signals to the processing elements, however, the first set of elements are clocked by rising edges of the clocking signals and the second set of elements are clocked by falling edges of the clocking signals.

ABSTRACT WORD COUNT: 59

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Application: 981111 A2 Published application (A1with Search Report  
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Assignee: 020313 A2 Transfer of rights to new applicant: Nokia  
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Examination: 021016 A2 Date of request for examination: 20020813

LANGUAGE (Publication,Procedural,Application): English; English; English

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CLAIMS A	(English)	9846	389
SPEC A	(English)	9846	4606
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Total word count - documents A + B			4995

INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-009/302

...SPECIFICATION order input word multiplexer 1152 is further capable receiving as an alternate input the output exponent from the normalising unit 619, represented as a bus 635. The output of the additional multiplexer 1154 is supplied as an input to a compare and select register 1157, its contents typically represent the highest of a sequence of compared...

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00884212

**Apparatus and method for the availability and recovery of files using copy storage pools**

**Vorrichtung und Verfahren für die Verfügbarkeit und Wiedergewinnung von Dateien unter Verwendung von Sammlungen von Kopierspeicher**

**Dispositif et methode de disponibilite et recuperation de fichiers utilisant des ensembles de memoires de copie**

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PATENT (CC, No, Kind, Date): EP 809184 A1 971126 (Basic)  
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APPLICATION (CC, No, Date): EP 97303323 970515;

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DESIGNATED STATES: DE; FR; GB  
INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-011/14  
CITED PATENTS (EP B): EP 359471 A; EP 593062 A

ABSTRACT EP 809184 A1

A data processing system using a client-server configuration provides a method and apparatus for generating and managing multiple copies of client data files. A server coupled to a plurality of client systems organizes sets of storage volumes into storage pools. Primary copies of the client data files are stored in primary storage pools while additional back-up copies of the client data files are copied to secondary storage pools, called copy storage pools. A server database maintains directory information about the original client data file and reference information about the location of the multiple file copies within the server. A storage manager provides a control centre within the server, directing and coordinating the transfer of files between the various storage pools, and updating the server database with directory and reference location information.

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NOTE:

Figure number on first page: NONE

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Grant: 020731 B1 Granted patent  
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Change: 010808 A1 Title of invention (English) changed: 20010618  
Change: 010808 A1 Title of invention (French) changed: 20010618  
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CLAIMS B	(English)	200231	1980
CLAIMS B	(German)	200231	1762
CLAIMS B	(French)	200231	2495
SPEC A	(English)	199711W3	7404
SPEC B	(English)	200231	7142
Total word count - document A			9143
Total word count - document B			13379
Total word count - documents A + B			22522

INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-011/14

...SPECIFICATION which copy storage volume 51-54 fits the "best" label, such as storage volume location, storage volume availability, and mount status and time. A step 635 adds the selected copy storage volume 51-54 to a list of best storage volumes, provided the volume is not previously included in the list. A...

...SPECIFICATION which copy storage volume 51-54 fits the "best" label, such as storage volume location, storage volume availability, and mount status and time. A step 635 adds the selected copy storage volume 51-54 to a list of best storage volumes, provided the volume is not previously included in the

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00793329

Methods and apparatus for storage and retrieval of name space information in a distributed computing system

Verfahren und Vorrichtung zum Speichern und Wiederauffinden von  
Informationen über den Namenraum in einem verteilten Rechnersystem  
Methodes et dispositif pour le stockage et le recouvrement d'informations  
concernant l'espace des noms dans un système informatique distribué  
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PATENT (CC, No, Kind, Date): EP 738970 A1 961023 (Basic)

APPLICATION (CC, No, Date): EP 96302502 960410;

PRIORITY (CC, No, Date): US 424137 950417

DESIGNATED STATES: DE; FR; GB

RELATED DIVISIONAL NUMBER(S) - PN (AN):

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A distributed computing environment is disclosed which allows a user at one location to access resources at other locations. Each resource in the distributed computing environment is represented as a hierarchical file system. A user or process has a name space comprised of at least one hierarchical file system provided by a connected resource. The distributed computing environment allows a first processor to invoke execution of a processing task by a remote processor. The first processor transmits a representation of its current name space to the remote processor. The remote processor will execute the processing task on a name space modified in accordance with the name space representation received from the first processor. The transmitted representation of the name space associated with the first processor includes at least one dynamic name space modification command, such as those executed by a user after logging into the distributed computing system. A plurality of data structures are provided for storing path information which allows the pathname of a given channel, which represents a file, to be determined. The stored path information allows the hierarchical file tree of a connected file system to be generated. (see image in original document)

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...SPECIFICATION is preferably incremented during step 1340 to the channel corresponding to the next element in the linked list 880 which forms the union directory. In **addition**, the value of the pointer 635 in the channel which the union directory has been mounted upon is preferably

updated during step 1342 to indicate the current directory in the union...

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**Multiplier**

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E.g. for video applications fast multipliers with high resolution are required. But a higher resolution results in more partial products to be calculated internally. The Booth-McSorley algorithm can be used in order to reduce the required number of such partial products. This algorithm can be combined with a diagonal propagation of the carry from one partial product to the other, allowing all the sums on a line to be calculated simultaneously. But the reachable multiplication time is not short enough.

The inventive multiplier in nearly full CMOS design has been constructed with a 1.2( $\mu$ ) BICMOS technology, having a multiplication time of 9ns with a supply voltage of 5 volts. Minimum multiplication time has been achieved by a combination of the following techniques:

- use of the Booth-McSorley algorithm in order to reduce the number of partial products;
- diagonal propagation of the carry from one partial product to the other allowing all the sums on one line to be done simultaneously;
- use of the carry select approach in the final 14 bits adder and in the first two adders in the intermediate rows;
- use of fast one-bit full adders with complementary pass transistor logic. (see image in original document)

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CLAIMS B	(French)	9927	1366
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...SPECIFICATION contains 4-bit full adders 611, 621, 616 and 626, 3-bit full adders 631 and 636 with normal carry input, a 3-bit full **adder 635** with complementary carry input and 2:1 multiplexers 612 - 615, 622 - 625, 632 - 634, 617, 627 and 637. The input signals a0, b0, a1, b1, a2 and b3 of **adder 635** stem from the **sum** and carry outputs of the basic building blocks FA in sixth row 418 which follow directly the respective adding circuit. The input signals of adders...

...represent output signals S20 - S23, S16 - S19 and S13 - S15 of the upper bits of the 24-bit result of the multiplication. Carry input of **adder 635** is connected to the one clock delayed complementation command signal C' generated in Booth encoder circuit 408 which has been latched in static latch 624. This latch is controlled by clock signals H and HB. The carry output of **adder 635** is connected to an inverter 641 and to the switching input of multiplexer 637. The output of inverter 641 is connected to the switching inputs...according to Fig. 12 the 3-bit adder has a complementary carry input CI.

E.g. the input signals a0 - a2 and b0 - b2 for **adder 635** are fed to respective connected parallel 1-bit adders. Input signals a0 and b0 and carry input CI are fed to adder 81 which outputs...

...CLAIMS pipeline row (413, 416, 419);

- a last row (410) with a carry select adder circuit which is constructed from one 4- and/or 3-bit **adder** circuit ( **635** ) and/or pairs of said 4- and/or 3-bit adder circuits (611,616; 621,626; 631,636), which contain said 1-bit adders (+).

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Space vector data path

Raumzeigersdatenpfad

Chemin de donnees de vecteur d'espace

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INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-009/302

CITED PATENTS (EP B): EP 395348 A; EP 464601 A; GB 2136172 A; US 4161784 A

ABSTRACT EP 681236 A1

A space vector path for integrating SIMD scheme into a general-purpose programmable processor is disclosed. The programmable processor comprises mode means coupled to an instruction means (130, 140) for specifying for each instruction whether an operand is processed in one of vector and scalar modes, processing unit (110) coupled to the mode means for receiving the operand and, responsive to an instruction as specified by the mode means, for processing the operand in one of the vector and scalar modes, wherein the vector mode indicating to the processing unit (110) that there are a plurality of elements within the operand and the scalar mode indicating to the processing unit (110) that there is one element within the operand. (see image in original document)

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CLAIMS B	(French)	200047	804
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1-BIT ADDER

EINZELBITADDIERER

ADDITIONNEUR 1 BIT

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CLAIMS B	(French)	9708W5	583
SPEC B	(English)	9708W5	4156
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latch 624. This latch is controlled by clock signals H and HB. The carry output of **adder 635** is connected to an inverter 641 and to the switching input of multiplexer 637. The output of inverter 641 is connected to the switching inputs...

...according to Fig. 12 the 3-bit adder has a complementary carry input CI.

E.g. the input signals a0 - a2 and b0 - b2 for **adder 635** are fed to respective connected parallel 1-bit adders. Input signals a0 and b0 and carry input CI are fed to adder 81 which outputs...

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00481389

**Use of application programs on data in a heterogeneous data base system**  
**Verwendung von Anwendungsprogrammen für Daten in einem heterogenen**  
**Datenbanksystem**

**Utilisation de programmes d'application pour des données dans un système de**  
**base de données hétérogène**

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CITED REFERENCES (EP A):

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Precision Architecture Computers'

INFORMATIONSTECHNIK IT vol. 29, no. 3, 1987, MUNCHEN BR pages 140 - 153  
W. EFFELSBERG 'Datenbankzugriff in Rechnernetzen';

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Precision Architecture Computers'

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W. EFFELSBERG 'Datenbankzugriff in Rechnernetzen';

ABSTRACT EP 449449 A2

The present invention relates to a data base system comprising a first  
computer (10) which is used to execute an application program (14), a

data base (56) containing selected data for use in connection with the application program, a second computer (12) which is used to control the part of the data base system which contains the data base, the first and second computers being different types, means 17) for extracting from the application program data base commands which can be executed on the second computer but cannot be executed on the first computer, and means for replacing the extracted data base commands with call commands and for using the call commands to initiate the execution of the data base commands when required.

According to the invention the data base system is characterised in that it also comprises means (46, 50) for transmitting the data base commands to the second computer, and means (52) for utilising the call commands in the application program to initiate the execution of the data base commands by the second computer on the selected data in the data base. (see image in original document)

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CLAIMS B	(German)	200204	691
CLAIMS B	(French)	200204	890
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...SPECIFICATION name. Lines 625-632 process Output Host Variables in a manner similar to Host Variable processing in the replacement for Atomic database commands. Lines 633- 635 add to the ModifiedProgramFile code in the language of the application program 14 to call the Database Interface Function for accessing a database item in the...

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A method and apparatus for contextual data enhancement.  
Verfahren und Gerat fur kontextuale Datenverbesserung.  
Methode et appareil pour ameliorer des donnees contextuelles.



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CITED PATENTS (EP A): US 4398256 A

ABSTRACT EP 229028 A2

A method and apparatus for contextual data enhancement.

A fingerprint classification and identification method and apparatus including circuitry to analyze a fingerprint image in the form of an N x M matrix of data elements, such data being analyzed in three basic scan windows which are clocked through a matrix array of data elements each containing either intensity data, direction data or both. The first window and its associated circuitry (114,140,200,220) serve to estimate data element directions by analyzing the intensity data in selected direction slits in the window to establish the slit having the least summed contrast between data elements spaced apart in the slit by a selected number of data elements, or to establish that there does not clearly exist such a slit. The second window passes through the matrix such that its data elements have already been passed through the circuitry (114,140,200,220) associated with the preliminary direction estimate window and have a preliminary direction estimate of one of the slit directions or "no direction". This second window and its associated circuitry (114,230) enhance the direction estimates made during passage of the first window according to various logic tests which generally seek to identify a slit direction which, along with the directions adjacent to it, are the directions of the predominant number of data elements in the window, or which is the average of the two slit directions which comprise the largest and second largest number of data elements, if they are sufficiently close in direction. The final window examines data elements having enhanced directions and with its associated circuitry (240,210,114), enhances the intensity data of a center data element in the third window, provided the center data element has an enhanced direction other than "no direction", according to an analysis of the center data element and the neighboring slit data elements in the slit with the direction of the enhanced direction of the center data element. The center data element and the neighboring slit data elements are compared with each other for direction data and intensity data and are compared with a mean intensity value for the scan window to derive a correction value for the center data element intensity to arrive at an enhanced intensity value. Separate logic is used to enhance the center data element intensity when it has a direction of "no direction", after which the data is passed into classification and matching circuitry (161).

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...SPECIFICATION one column in a delay circuit 634 and adding the output of the delay circuit 634 to the output of the circuit 631 in an **adder 635**

Referring to FIG. 22c, it can be seen that a lower group of eight magnitude subtractions may be obtained by first delaying the output of the **adder 635** by two rows minus two columns in a delay circuit 636 and adding the output of the delay circuit 636 to the output of the **adder 635** in an **adder 637**. Second, the output of the adder 637 is delayed four rows minus four columns in a delay 638 the output of which is added...

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**Machine translation system**

**System zur maschinellen Übersetzung**

**Système de traduction par machine**

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To translate Japanese having no morphological distinction between  
 singular and plural forms into English having a morphological distinction  
 between the two, for instance, the dictionary unit (6) includes semantic  
 information indicative of the plural number, and the translation unit (5)  
 syntactically and semantically translates Japanese into English as  
 follows: a Japanese sentence is morphologically analyzed into basic  
 morphemes by an inflection information dictionary (6a); lexical syntactic  
 information of the Japanese basic morphemes are retrieved from a  
 word/phrase dictionary (6b); the Japanese sentence is syntactically  
 analyzed into an intermediate structure by Japanese syntactic analysis  
 grammar to clarify modification relationship between two words; the  
 Japanese intermediate structure is semantically transferred into an  
 English intermediate structure by structure transfer grammar; a concept  
 data of a noun (e.g. "book") which includes FEATURE : NUMBER = PLURAL is  
 formed when the noun is modified by an adjective (e.g. "many") indicative  
 of the plural number; an English sentence structure is syntactically  
 generated from the intermediate structure and by English syntactic  
 generation grammar; and lastly an English morphemes are generated by  
 morphological generation grammar to change "book" into "books".

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...SPECIFICATION take proper account of plural forms where plurality is indicated only by a modifier.

An other example of a known machine translation system is disclosed in SPIE Vol. 635 Applications of Artificial Intelligence III (1986) p. 455 to 462 in the article entitled "A robust machine translation system" by R. Yoshii. Although described to...

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**INTEGRATED BUSINESS SYSTEM FOR WEB BASED TELECOMMUNICATIONS MANAGEMENT**  
**SYSTEME D'ECHANGES COMMERCIAUX INTEGRES POUR LA GESTION DE**  
**TELECOMMUNICATIONS SUR LE WEB**

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English Abstract

The specification discloses a method of doing business over the public Internet, particularly, a method which enables access to legacy management tools used by a telecommunications enterprise in the management of the enterprise business to the enterprise customer, to enable the customer to more effectively manage the business conducted by the customer through the enterprise, this access being provided over the public Internet. This method of doing business is accomplished with one or more secure web servers which manage one or more secure client sessions over the Internet, each web server supporting secure communications with the client workstation; a web page backplane application capable of launching one or more management tool applications used by the enterprise. Each of the management tool applications provide a customer interface integrated within said web page which enables interactive Web/Internet based communications with the web servers; each web server supports communication of messages entered via the integrated customer interface to one or more remote enterprise management tool

application servers which interact with the enterprise management tool applications to provide associated management capabilities to the customer.

#### French Abstract

Cette invention se rapporte a un procede permettant de realiser des echanges commerciaux par l'Internet, en particulier un procede qui permet d'accéder a des outils de gestion legues utilises par une entreprise de telecommunications pour la gestion de ses relations commerciales avec ses clients, et pour permettre aux clients de gerer plus efficacement leurs interets commerciaux par l'intermediaire de l'entreprise, cet acces etant assure par l'Internet. Ce procede d'echanges commerciaux utilise un ou plusieurs serveurs web securises, qui gerent une ou plusieurs sessions client securisees sur l'Internet, chaque serveur web prenant en charge les communications securisees avec la station de travail client; ainsi qu'une application de fond de panier de page web capable de lancer une ou plusieurs applications d'outils de gestion utilisees par l'entreprise. Chacune de ces applications d'outils de gestion fournit une interface client integree a chaque page web qui permet des communications interactives par le Web/l'Internet avec les serveurs web; et chaque serveur web prend en charge la communication des messages entres via l'interface client integree a destination d'un ou de plusieurs serveurs d'applications d'outils de gestion d'entreprise distants, qui entrent en interaction avec les applications d'outils de gestion d'entreprise pour assurer aux clients des capacites de gestion associees.

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#### Detailed Description

... be queried. It then parses the metadata into a format which the COTS software can readily convert into an SQL statement, as indicated at step 635, Figure 15(b), and adds the report to the DSS report queue based upon type (Daily, Weekly, Monthly, Adhoc) and associated DataMart, as indicated at step 638. It should be...

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#### **DATA TRANSFER TO A NON-VOLATILE STORAGE MEDIUM TRANSFERT DE DONNEES VERS UNE MEMOIRE REMANENTE**

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Detailed Description

Claims

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## English Abstract

To improve the speed of transition to the zero-volt suspend state, system context is saved from volatile random access memory to non-volatile memory, such as a hard disk, using a compression algorithm which speeds the transfer of data to non-volatile memory by recognizing data pages having bytes of a single value. The system context in extended memory of RAM consists of a number of system context memory blocks, and between these memory blocks are memory holes containing information which does not require storage. Initially, the entirety of data in a buffer region of RAM is stored directly to disk. Then, successive pages from each system context memory block are transferred to the buffer, where the page size corresponds to the memory management unit page size. When testing locates a region of heterogeneous entries, then a heterogeneous data flag, the length of the heterogeneous region, and the heterogeneous data region are transferred to the buffer. When testing determines that a page contains bytes of a single value, then a compression flag representing that value is substituted for that page. When a memory hole is reached, a memory hole flag and the size of the memory hole are transferred to the buffer. On each transfer of a byte of data to the buffer it is determined whether the buffer is full, and when it is full then a write-to-disk is performed. To transition from the zero-volt suspend state back to an operational state, bytes are transferred from the hard disk to the buffer whenever all the bytes currently in the buffer have been transferred to extended memory. When testing of the buffer entries locates a heterogeneous data flag, the value immediately following the flag is determined, and a data region having a length of that value is transferred to extended memory. When a compression flag is found, a 4 kilobyte page of the corresponding byte value is transferred to extended memory. When a memory hole flag is found, a memory hole with a length of the value immediately following the memory hole flag is created in extended memory.

## French Abstract

Pour accroître la vitesse de transition vers l'état de suspension à zéro volt, le contexte d'un système est sauvegardé d'une mémoire vive non rémanente vers une mémoire rémanente, tel un disque dur, au moyen d'un algorithme de compression qui permet d'activer le transfert de données vers la mémoire rémanente par une reconnaissance de pages de données comportant des octets d'une seule valeur. Le contexte du système situé dans une mémoire étendue de la RAM consiste en un certain nombre de blocs de mémoire de contexte système, entre lesquels se trouvent des trous de mémoire contenant des informations ne nécessitant pas de stockage. Initialement, l'intégrité des données d'une zone tampon de la RAM est stockée directement sur le disque. Puis des pages successives de chaque bloc de mémoire de contexte système sont transférées vers le tampon, à l'endroit où la taille de page correspond à la taille de page de l'unité de gestion de mémoire. Lorsqu'un essai permet de localiser une zone d'entrées hétérogènes, un indicateur de données hétérogènes, la longueur de la zone hétérogène et la zone de données hétérogènes sont transférés vers le tampon. Lorsqu'un essai permet de déterminer qu'une page contient des octets d'une seule valeur, un indicateur de compression représentant cette valeur est substitué à cette page. Lorsqu'un trou de mémoire est atteint, un indicateur de trou de mémoire et la taille du trou de mémoire sont transférés vers le tampon. Lors de chaque transfert d'un octet de données vers le tampon, on détermine si le tampon est plein, et le cas échéant, une inscription est effectuée sur le disque. Pour effectuer la transition entre l'état de suspension à zéro volt et un état opérationnel, des octets sont transférés du disque dur vers le tampon lorsque tous les octets présents dans le tampon ont été transférés vers la mémoire étendue. Lorsqu'un essai des entrées de tampon permet de localiser un indicateur de données hétérogènes, la valeur qui suit immédiatement l'indicateur est déterminée, et une zone de données présentant une longueur de cette valeur est transférée vers la mémoire étendue. Lorsqu'un indicateur de compression est trouvé, une page de 4 kilo-octets de la valeur d'octet correspondante est transférée vers la mémoire étendue. Lorsqu'un indicateur de trou de mémoire est trouvé, un trou de mémoire présentant une longueur de la valeur qui suit

immédiatement l'indicateur de trou de memoire est produit dans la memoire etendue.

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... transfer size must be performed by pniDiskWrite, so Sectors is set equal 630 to Size/SectorSize before a write to disk is performed by pmDiskWrite 635 . Then 640, (Sectors\*SectorSize) is **subtracted** from Size so  
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that Size represents the quantity of data which remains in the buffer 120 to be written to disk, and Location i...

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**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR A FAST CARRY/SUM SELECT ADDER**

**SYSTEME ET PROCEDE POUR SOMMATEUR SELECTIONNEUR RAPIDE DE REPORT/SOMME**

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Claims

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English Abstract

An adder system (100) includes at least one adder block subsystem (102a). Each adder block subsystem includes a pair of input signal lines (130a-h and 133a-h), an adder circuit block having a conditional sum-select and a conditional carry-select (110), a sum-high line (220a-h), a sum-low line (225a-h), a carry-high line (260h), carry-low line (265h), a sum selection switch (160), a carry selection switch (163), a carry forward line (199a), and an output signal line (185). The input lines are individual bit lines that are paired together from the least significant bit to the most significant bit. Within the adder circuit block, pairs of the input bit lines are coupled to the conditional sum-select and the conditional carry-select. The conditional sum-select is coupled to the sum-high and sum-low lines and the conditional carry-select is coupled to the carry-high and carry-low line. The sum selection switch selectively couples the output signal line to the sum-high or the sum-low line.

French Abstract

Systeme sommateur (100) comprenant au moins un sous-systeme de bloc sommateur (102a). Chacun de ces sous-systemes comporte une paire de lignes de signaux d'entree (13a-h et 133a-h). Un bloc de circuits sommateurs a les elements suivants : selection de somme conditionnelle et selection de report conditionnel (110), ligne de somme haute (220a-h) ,

ligne de somme basse (225a-h), ligne de report haut (260h), ligne de report bas (265h), commutateur de selection de somme (160), commutateur de selection de report (163), ligne de report en avant (199a), et ligne de signaux de sortie (185). Les lignes d'entree sont des lignes binaires individuelles appariees, du bit de poids faible au bit de poids fort. Dans le bloc de circuits sommateurs, les paires de lignes binaires d'entree sont couplees a la selection de somme conditionnelle et a la selection de report conditionnel. Cette derniere est couplee a la ligne de report haut et a la ligne de report bas. Le commutateur de selection de somme assure le couplage selectif entre la ligne de report haut ou la ligne de report bas et la ligne de report en avant.

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Detailed Description

Detailed Description

... line 199a. If the carry signal along the carry forward line 199a is a logic high, the sum output selection switch 166 of the second **adder** block subsystem 102b selects **635** the **sum** -high line 230 that is coupled to the second adder circuit block 115. If the carry signal along the carry forward line 199a is a...

...low line 285h, 295h.

The 8-bit output signal along the third output signal line 191 of the third adder subsystem 102c is either the **sum** signal selected **635** along the **sum** -high line 240 if the carry signal along the carry forward line 199b of the second adder block subsystem 102b is a logic high, or is the **sum** signal selected **635** along the **sum** -low ...a logic low.

The 8-bit output signal along the fourth output signal line 194 of the fourth adder block subsystem 102d is either the **sum** signal selected **635** along the **sum** -high line 250 if the carry signal along the carry forward line 199c of the third adder block subsystem 102c is a logic high, or is the **sum** signal selected **635** along the **sum** -low line 255 if the carry signal along the carry forward line 199c of the third adder block subsystem 102c is a logic low. The...

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**HIGH ACCURACY, AUTOMATICALLY CONTROLLED VARIABLE LINEAR SEED SPACING  
PLANTING APPARATUS**  
**SEMOIR HAUTE PRECISION, A COMMANDE AUTOMATIQUE, AVEC ESPACEMENT LINEAIRE  
VARIABLE DES SEMAILLES**

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English Abstract

A control system for a mobile planting apparatus (24) which permits discrete plant spacing to be determined and maintained independent of any wheel (6) rotation on the planting apparatus (24) or towing apparatus (8) is disclosed, having: (1) a ground speed sensor (26) wherein the rate of movement relative to the ground is determined independent of the wheel (6) rotation of the planting apparatus (24) or towing apparatus (8); (2) an input/display device (62) for inputting desired linear plant spacing; (3) a variable speed motor (42) for mechanically driving seed metering devices (12) on the planting apparatus (24) at varying rates independent of any wheel (6) rotation of the planting apparatus (24) or towing apparatus (8), wherein the motor (42) changes speeds in response to an electronic signal; (4) a programmable control circuit (60) communicating electronically with the input/display device (62) and ground speed sensor (26).

French Abstract

On decrit un systeme de commande destine a un semoir (24) mobile et permettant de determiner un espacement distinct des vegetaux et de conserver cet espacement en le rendant independant de toute rotation des roues (6) du semoir (24) ou de l'element tractant (8), ce systeme comprenant: (1) un capteur (26) de vitesse au sol dans lequel la vitesse de deplacement par rapport au sol est determinee independamment de la rotation des roues (6) du semoir (24) ou de l'element tractant (8); (2) un dispositif (62) d'entree/affichage destine a l'entree de l'espacement lineaire souhaite des vegetaux; (3) un moteur (42) a vitesse variable servant a entrainer mecaniquement des dispositifs (12) doseurs de semailles situes sur le semoir (24), a des vitesses variables, independantes de toute rotation (6) des roues du semoir (24) ou de l'element tractant (8), ce moteur (42) changeant de vitesse en reponse a un signal electronique; (4) un circuit (60) de commande programmable communiquant de facon electronique avec le dispositif (62) d'entree/affichage et le capteur (26) de vitesse au sol.

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Detailed Description

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:636 !389 dd. 66 4 SM SPEED*2
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0638 f 38d 89 3C 2 ADCA #Soo
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**A DYNAMIC GRAPHICAL SYSTEM CONFIGURATION UTILITY**

**PROGRAMME UTILITAIRE DE CONFIGURATION DE SYSTEME GRAPHIQUE DYNAMIQUE**

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#### English Abstract

The invention provides a graphics-oriented technique for enabling a user to configure data processing features of a computer system (10) that includes at least one computer. The data processing features are presented to the user in the form of displayed graphical objects (52-58), each of which represents one feature. The user selects a graphical object (52-58) using an input device of the computer (e.g., a mouse (122a, 120c)), and is then prompted to enter information associated with the data processing feature represented by the selected object (52-58). Thereafter, the computer system (10) is enabled to use the data processing feature to process data in accordance with the user-specified information. After the configuration information has been entered for at least some of the objects (52-58), symbols are added to the display (120a, 120b) to indicate that the data processing features that the objects (52-58) represent have been enabled, thereby presenting to the user a comprehensive, easily understood representation of the current configuration state of the system (10).

#### French Abstract

L'invention se rapporte a une technique graphique permettant a un utilisateur de configurer des caracteristiques de traitement de donnees d'un systeme informatique (10) qui comprend au moins un ordinateur. Les caracteristiques de traitement de donnees sont presentees a l'utilisateur sous forme d'objets graphiques affiches (50) dont chacun represente une caracteristique. L'utilisateur selectionne un objet graphique (52-58) a l'aide d'un dispositif d'entree de l'ordinateur (par exemple une souris (122a, 120c)), puis est guide afin d'introduire des informations associees a la caracteristique de traitement de donnees representee par l'objet selectionne (52-58). A partir de ce moment, le systeme informatique (10) peut utiliser la caracteristique de traitement de donnees pour traiter des donnees en fonction des informations specifiees par l'utilisateur. Apres que les informations de configuration ont ete introduites pour au moins quelques-uns des objets (52-58), des symboles sont ajoutees a l'affichage (120a, 120b) afin d'indiquer que les caracteristiques de traitement de donnees que representent les objets (52-58) ont ete validees, ce qui fournit a l'utilisateur une representation globale et facile a comprendre de l'etat de configuration actuel du systeme (10).

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Detailed Description

Detailed Description

... is using to configure system 10),

The user then selects an appropriate driver from list and then selects the "OK" button, The user then selects

" Add " button **635** . SCU program 124 **adds** the I/O driver to the list of configured I/O drivers shown in list 628. if the user wishes to remove an I/O...

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**BEARING DESIGN ANALYSIS APPARATUS AND METHOD**

**APPAREIL ET PROCEDE DE CONCEPTION D'ANALYSE DE PALIERS**

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Claims

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**English Abstract**

A method and apparatus for designing hydrodynamic bearings having movable bearing pads and a method for supporting a rotating shaft with such bearings. Bearing pad position under load is calculated using finite element analysis to determine influence coefficients, which are then used in conjunction with a two-dimensional model of the fluid film to provide the steady-state behavior of the bearing. The bearing design is altered until an acceptable design is arrived at. A bearing designed according to this method can be used to support a rotating shaft.

**French Abstract**

L'invention se rapporte a un procede et a un appareil permettant de concevoir des paliers hydrodynamiques a patins mobiles et a un procede visant a supporter un arbre rotatif avec ces paliers. La position du patin de palier sous la charge est calculee par analyse d'elements finis afin de determiner les coefficients d'influence qui sont ensuite utilises conjointement avec un modele bidimensionnel du film d'huile pour obtenir la tenue stable du palier. Ce type de palier est modifie jusqu'a obtention d'une conception acceptable. Un palier concu selon ce procede peut etre utilise pour supporter un arbre rotatif.

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Detailed Description

**Detailed Description**

... outer beam 544 into three  
beams,  
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The support structure for bearing pad 525 is similar to that for bearing pad 522 except that an additional opening 635 non-symmetrically divides the outer beam 544 into two beams, By virtue of the non-symmetrical division of the outer beam 544, the bearing...

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**1-BIT ADDER AND MULTIPLIER CONTAINING A 1-BIT ADDER**

**ADDITIONNEUR 1 BIT ET MULTIPLICATEUR LE COMPORTANT**

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English Abstract

E.g. for video applications fast multipliers with high resolution are required. But a higher resolution results in more partial products to be calculated internally. The Booth-Mc Sorley algorithm can be used in order to reduce the required number of such partial products. This algorithm can be combined with a diagonal propagation of the carry from one partial product to the other, allowing all the sums on a line to be calculated simultaneously. But the reachable multiplication time is not short enough. The inventive multiplier in nearly full CMOS design has been constructed with a 1.2  $\mu$ m BICMOS technology, having a multiplication time of 9 ns with a supply voltage of 5 volts. Minimum multiplication time has been achieved by a combination of the following techniques: use of the Booth-Mc Sorley algorithm in order to reduce the number of partial products; diagonal propagation of the carry from one partial product to the other allowing all the sums on one line to be done simultaneously; use of the carry select approach in the final 14 bits adder and in the first two adders in the intermediate rows; use of inventive fast one-bit full adders with complementary pass transistor logic.

#### French Abstract

Les applications dans le domaine de la video, par exemple, necessitent des multiplicateurs rapides a haute definition, mais une definition plus elevee entraine un accroissement du nombre de produits partiels a calculer de maniere interne. On peut utiliser l'algorithme de Booth-McSorley afin de reduire le nombre requis de ces produits partiels. Cet algorithme peut s'associer a une propagation diagonale du report entre l'un des produits partiels et un autre, ce qui permet un calcul simultane de l'ensemble des sommes d'une meme ligne. Malgre cela, le temps de multiplication ainsi obtenu n'est toujours pas suffisamment court. On a prevu un multiplicateur de conception presque entierement CMOS construit a l'aide d'une technologie BICMOS a 1,2  $\mu$ m, son temps de multiplication etant de 9 ns lorsque la tension d'alimentation est de 5 volts. On a minimise le temps de multiplication en combinant entre elles les techniques suivantes: l'utilisation de l'algorithme de Booth-McSorley afin de reduire le nombre de produits partiels; la propagation diagonale du report entre l'un des produits partiels et un autre, ce qui permet le calcul simultane de l'ensemble des sommes d'une meme ligne; l'utilisation de l'approche de selection de report dans le dernier additionneur 14 bits et dans les deux premiers additionneurs des rangees intermediaires; et l'utilisation de ces additionneurs 1 bit complets et rapides a logique a transistors ballast complementaires.

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#### Detailed Description

... 4-bit full adders 611, 621, 616 and 626, 3-bit full adders 631 and 636 with normal carry input, a 3-bit full adder 635 with complementary carry input and 2:1 multiplexers 612 - 615, 622 625, 632 - 634r 617, 627 and 637. The input signals a0, b0, ai, bi, a2 and b3 of adder 635 stem from the sum and carry

outputs of the basic building blocks FA in sixth row 418 which follow directly the respective adding circuit. The input signals of...

...represent output signals S20

S23, S16 - S19 and S13 - S15 of the upper bits of the 24-bit result of the multiplication. Carry input of **adder 635** is connected to the one clock delayed complementation command signal C' generated in Booth encoder circuit 408 which has been latched in static latch 624. This latch is controlled by clock signals H and HB. The carry output of **adder 635** is connected to an inverter 641 and to the switching input of multiplexer 637. The output of ...cording to Fig. 12 the 3-bit adder has a complementary carry input CI.

E.g. the input signals a0 - a2 and b0 - b2 for **adder 635** are fed to respective connected parallel 1-bit adders. Input signals a0 and b0 and carry input CI are fed to adder 81 which...

Claim

... pipeline row (413, 416e 419);

- a last row (410) with a carry select adder circuit which is constructed from one 4- and/or 3-bit **adder circuit (635)** and/or pairs of said 4- and/or 3-bit adder circuits (611, 616; 621, 626; 631, 636). which contain said 1-bit adders

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**FAULT DETECTION ARRANGEMENT FOR A DIGITAL CONFERENCING SYSTEM**

**DISPOSITIF DE DETECTION DE FAUTES POUR UN SYSTEME NUMERIQUE DE CONFERENCE**

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English Abstract

Error/fault detection in signal processing systems such as those employed in a time division multiplex conferencer. The digital message samples (of the conferees) and the accompanying parity bits are delivered to a signal processor e.g., a binary arithmetic adder (10). The adder sums the message samples and this sum is coupled to a first parity tree (11), which in response thereto generates a first parity bit. The carries generated by the summing operation are coupled to a second parity tree (12) along with the message parity bits and the second parity tree generates a second parity bit therefrom. The first and second parity bits are compared (13) and if they differ a fault exists. Corrective action is taken immediately--the faulty conference "leg" is removed from the

conference connection without affecting the remaining legs in the conference or any other conference.

#### French Abstract

Detecteur d'erreur/panne dans un systeme de traitement de signaux tels que ceux employes dans un systeme de conference multiplex par partage de temps. Les echantillons de messages numeriques (des conferences) et les bits de parite qui les accompagnent sont livres a une machine de traitement de signaux, par exemple, a un additionneur numerique binaire (10). L'additionneur additionne les echantillons de messages et cette somme est couplee a un premier arbre de parite (11), qui y repond en produisant un premier bit de parite. Les reports produits par l'operation d'addition sont couples a un deuxieme arbre de parite (12) avec les bits de parite du message, et le deuxieme arbre de parite produit a partir de ceux-ci un deuxieme bit de parite. Le premier et le deuxieme bits de parite sont compares (13) et, s'ils sont differents, il existe une panne. Des mesures correctives sont prises immediatement - la "branche" defectueuse de la conference est enlevee de la connexion de la conference sans affecter les branches restantes dans cette conference ou dans toute autre conference.

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#### Detailed Description

... message

sample previously stored in sample RAM 610, it is essentially subtracted by out-adder 640 from the summed  
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message sample inputted via bus **635** by the twos-complement **addition**. A message sample respective to a time slot is effectively subtracted in this manner from the summed message sample to eliminate its message contribution from...

...output select circuit 710

via leads POOR or NOOR in the event either positive or negative overflow occurs as a result of summing an inputted **summed** message sample from bus **635** with a respective message sample inputted from bus 626.